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JURY DISAGREED IN SEIGERT VS PHILPOTT

SECOND MISTRIAL OF TERM CAUSED BY SPLIT IN JURY.

MCWETHY VS TRUMAN DECISION

Plaintiff Allowed $1 Claim of Set Off Recognized—Railroad Case Continued Because of Absence of Attorney.

The second mistrial of the present term of the Lee county circuit court resulted in the Seigert vs. Philpott case, which went to the jury ta 5 p. m. yesterday. The jurors deliberated until 10:30 o'clock and went at it again early this morning until ten o'clock, when they reported to Judge Farrand that they were unable to agree, standing 6 to 6 practically all of the time. Accordingly they were discharged and the case will have to be tried again next term of court.

According to all reports the jurors were of the opinion that the abstract of title furnished by Mr. Seigert was merchantable, as had been ruled by Judge Farrand, but there was some doubt on the part of six of the members of the jury that Seigert had expressed a willingness to withdraw from the deal. when the Dixon real estate man stated he did not care to continue it.

During the morning a number of cases were settled, among them being:

Ehman vs. American Insurance Co.

Haynes vs. Bowser, replevin.

Bowser vs. Haynes, assumpsit.

For Defendant.

The jury in the McWethy vs. Truman case returned a verdict late yesterday afternoon finding the issues of the case for the defendant on her claim of set off, and awarded the plaintiff damages to the amount of $1.

R. R. Case Continued.

Because of the inability of Attorney C. B. Morrison to be present at the present term of court the case of Spaulding vs. the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company was continued until the next term of court.

May Settle Another.

During the morning the attorneys in the Hower vs. C. B. & Q. Ry. case held several conferences relative to a settlement of the case, but they could not get together, and pending further efforts toward a settlement Jugde Farrand adjourned court until tomorrow mornin'. Attorney Erwin is counsel for Mrs. Minnie Hower, who is suing for the death of her husband in a railway accident, and Attorney H. S. Dixon is transacting the legal business for the railroad company. Should the case be settled the last of the jury cases of the term will be disposed of and the jury discharged.

Gossman Is Ill.

And there is at least one man who will be heartily pleased if the case is settled, Court Reporter Gossman, who for over a week has been compelled to work while suffering from an attack of bronchitis and a hard cold. The work has been a strain on him in his weakened condition and he will welcome the finish of the term.

NEW NATURALIZATION BILL

Circuit Clerk W. B. McMahan this morning received a copy of the bill which has been introduced in Congress, relative to naturalization of aliens, which all the circuit clerks are anxious should pass, and which, it is reported will very likely be adopted by congress. The bill is designed to do away with much of the red tape connected with the naturalization of aliens, by simplifying the the proceedure, without removing, in any way, the requirements necessary for the franchise.

THIEVES WRECK OFFICE.

Peoria, May 8—Expensive office furniture was battered and broken and a heavy fire proof door of a safe battered down by burglars who entered the shop of John Reinhart here. The thieves secured not a cent for their pains.

FRED DENNETT

Mr. Donnett, commissioner of the general land office, and his little army of employes participated yesterday in the celebration of the centenary of the land office. The exercises were presided over by Secretary of the Interior Fisher.

GLANDERS SEIZES WINNEBAGO HORSES

STATE VETERINARIAN ORDERS FIVE KILLED—OGLE COUNTY HORSES SAID TO BE INFECTED ALSO.

Well defined cases of glanders among many horses in Rockford and Winnebago county has resulted in the killing of five horses and keeping of 35 or 40 other animals under quarantine to observe if they are similarly affected. The five horses were disposed of by order of the state veterinary, Dr. J. W. Wright of Chicago.

Dr. Wright has been working in conjunction with Dr. B. B. Page of Rockford, assistant state veterinarian.

All of the horses that have been exposed are being held in quarantine Tests are being made to determine if there are symptoms of glanders and on the result rests the fate of all exposed horses.

Glanders is said to be prevalent not only among the horses in Winnebago county, but is said to have extended into Ogle county. The state will keep strict watch on all suspicious cases. It is a disease that is as serious to horses as is smallpox to humans.

Dr. Page says the situation is not alarming; that all suspected horses are well in hand and he does not fear a general outbreak.

HAS NEW AUTO.

Dr. E. A. Sickles yesterday received his new Parry automobile, a machine in which he is taking a great deal of pride. The doctor states that the car runs with excellent precision and ease, and that it is greatly improved over the old Parry he had last season.

MOTORED TO STERLING.

W. J. McAlpine, R. W. Thompson, Martin Gannon and R. Bovey made a trip to Sterling this afternoon, the trip being made in Mr. McAlpine's fine Cadillac machine.

NO SMALL POX IN ELGIN

Elgin, May 7—For the first time in six months Elgin is free from small pox, while in the last half year sixty cases have been placed under quarantine. The last red card was taken down this morning.

Quarantine was removed from the Schmidtgall family on Seneca street in which there had been five cases of small pox. Thee Mitchell residence, 660 Grace street was released this morning, following the recovery of Mrs. Mitchell.

FREIGHT HANDLERS' STRIKE FELT HERE

The strike of the freight handlers in Chicago is making itself felt in Dixon, the shipments of merchandise being received here diminishing day by day. The draymen report smaller loads every morning and many business men who are in haste for goods are ordering them shipped by express.

ADMITS PASSING TAINTED MEAT

Department of Agriculture Says 6,000,000 Such Carcasses Were O.K.'d.

ANIMALS' DISEASE WAS SLIGHT

Financial Loss Would Have Been Appalling Upon the Producers and Consumers Had This Meat Been Condemned, It Is Said.

Washington, May 8.—The department of agriculture has officially admitted that in the past six years no fewer than six million carcasses of meat tainted by disease have been passed as wholesome by its inspectors and sold throughout the United States.

Hurrying to its own defense against charges brought by Representative Nelson that a conspiracy exists between the packing interests and the officials of the department by which the entire country is being flooded with diseased meat, it issued a special circular in which it said: "If the inspectors follow the regulations and their instructions, they pass only meat which is sound, healthful, wholesome and fit for human food, as determined by the best scientific opinion of the world. This does not mean that if a sheep has the snuffles, or if a steer has the warbles the meat of the animals is condemned. It means that if the animal is so diseased as to render the meat unfit for food the meat is destroyed for food purposes, while on the contrary if the disease be slight and of such a character that the fitness of the meat for food is not affected then, of course, the sound meat is passed.

Passed 6,000,000 Carcasses.

"If the theory advanced by certain agitators, men who have little or no scientific knowledge of the subject, had prevailed and the department in the past six years had condemned the meat of all animals affected to any extent with disease, there would have been taken from the food supply of the country more than 6,000,000 carcasses, the meat of which was perfectly safe, wholesome food.

"Not only would the financial loss have been appalling, a loss which every one but a demagogue admits fails, not upon the packers, but upon the producers and the consumers of meat, but in addition there would have been a sinful waste in destroying each year the most of 1,000,000 food animals."

"Would this not have a tremendous effect upon the price of meat which is too high already for the pocketbook of the average man and would not the farmer who produced these food animals, have been robbed all to gratify the caprice of men whose views are rejected by the scientists of the world?"

Defense Offered Before Investigation.

It was pointed out in Washington that ample proof of the seriousness of the charges against Secretary Wilson, Solicitor McCabe and A. D. Melvin, chief of the bureau of animal industry, contained in the resolution introduced by Representative Nelson is found in the fact that for the first time in their official lives they have been obliged to offer a defense before an official investigation is begun or one witness heard. One remarkable feature of the defense is an attack made by Secretary Wilson upon Mrs. Carolina Bartlett Crane, who first called Mrs. Nelson's attention to the secret orders issued from the department of agriculture.

It was through such secret orders, according to charges made by Representative Nelson, that inspectors employed in packing houses owned by the trust are enabled to pass upon carcasses of diseased animals and permit their distribution as wholesome food. Mr. Nelson is now in possession of photographs of these orders supplied by Mrs. Crane. In his defense Secretary Wilson states: "Mrs. Carolina Bartlett Crane is now under contract to work for the National Cash Register company of Dayton, O., at a compensation of $100 per day. Mrs. Crane has been 'investigating' the meat inspection service for some years and it would be interesting to learn who is paying for the work."

SATURDAY'S GAME SHOULD BE CLOSE

The fans of the Dixon college and the city are looking forward to Saturday's game at Athletic park with exceptional interest. The contest is to be between the local college and the DeKalb normal school, and the close contest between these teams at DeKalb two weeks ago, when Dixon won in a final rally, will serve to make the coming contest more stubbornly contested.

MASONS MEET.

There will be a meeting of the Master Masons on Thursday evening at 7:30.

BULLETIN.

APPROPRIATIONS COM. FAVORS MANY BILLS

VOTE FAVORABLY ON AMOUNTS FOR REPAIR OF STATE HOUSE AND FAIR GROUNDS.

$30,000 FOR ILL. UNIVERSITY

Amount to Be Expended for Agricultural Experimental Station at Champaign—Provide for Grain Inspection, Railroad and Warehouse Commission and Factory Inspection Departments.

Springfield, Ill., May 8—Special to Telegraph—The house committee on appropriations today reported out favorably the following senate bills and the report was adopted and the bills advanced to third reading: Appropriating $20,000 for repairs to state house; appropriating $45,000 for repairs to state fair grounds building; appropriating $30,000 for the agricultural experiment station at the University of Illinois; appropriating $35,000 to the secretary of state's office for automobile tags, etc., in the automobile department. Amending the ordinary contingent expenses of the state government appropriation bill to provide for the state grain inspection, railroad and warehouse commission, and factory inspection departments rendered necessary owing to the decision of the supreme court in the Neiberger case.

DREDGE FOX RIVER.

Elgin, May 8—Petitions asking congress to appropriate $50,000 to dredge Fox river between Elgin and Fox Lake, making it navigable, are being circulated in cities and towns between the two places along the river. Completion of the proposed waterway would connect 100 miles of continuous river and lake region in northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin.

WIFE OF SEC. KNOX ROBBED OF $3400.

LEARNED TODAY THAT SHE WAS VICTIM OF THEFT OF JEWELS VALUED AT THAT AMOUNT —LOOT RECOVERED.

Los Angeles, May 8—Special to the Telegraph—That Mrs. Philander C. Knox, wife of the Secretary of State of the United States, was robbed of jewels valued at $3,400 while on the Cruiser Marayland during the recent trip with her husband to South America, became known here today. A marine has been charged with the theft. The loot was taken from her stateroom and was found later in a pawnshop.

J. THOMAS LADEN OF HARMON DIES

BRIEF ILLNESS TAKES LIFE OF BOY WHO WAS TO HAVE GRADUATED MAY 22.

Harmon, May 7—Special to Telegraph—J. Thomas Laden, the nineteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Laden, died last night at his home in Harmon after a brief illness. His death was caused by Bright's disease.

The young man, who was a well known, popular and promising lad, had only been confined to his bed since Sunday. His untimely passing is mourned by a wide circle of sympathetic friends. He was to have graduated from school and received his diploma from his teacher, Mrs. Tosney, on the 22nd of this month.

Beside the sorrowing father and mother, a brother and sister, John Laden and Mrs. Wilbur Getchel, survive, and the sympathy of the entire community goes out to them in their bereavement.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Flannen's church in Harmon.

105,000 IN WANT AND HOMELESS

Mississippi Flood Waters Devastate 4,590 Square Miles of Territory.

EIGHTEEN MEN ARE DROWNED

Women Go Insane From Hardships—Thousands of Acres Added to Inundated Regions by Fresh Break in Levees in St. Sophia.

New Orleans, La., May 8.—Thousands of acres were added to the flooded regions of Louisiana when the levee at St. Sophia, 40 miles above New Orleans, broke. The country over which the water is spreading has always been regarded as absolutely safe from floods. The desperate fight for control of the situation goes on, with reports coming in of heavy loss of life and great property damage. Sixty persons have lost their lives in the Torras regions alone, and it is feared that when reports come in from the remote sections that the number will be much larger. The total area of devastation is 4,590 square miles. One hundred and five thousand people are homeless in the section from Rossdale, Miss., to Natchez, and from Arkansas City to the Red river, and absolutely dependent upon the government for rations. These figures exclude the greatest flood center—that from Torras, La., south.

Floods Nearing Baton Rouge.

The crest of the flood is nearing Baton Rouge, the capital of the state. The maximum crest stage was raised a foot by the weather bureau for all points from Baton Rouge south. There is much apprehension there as well as at other points.

In New Orleans thousands of men are strengthening the levees that protect the city. Gangs of men are working for miles up and down the river, under electric lights which have hastily been placed in commission. In New Orleans the water is creeping over the levees in one or two places, but up to the present time there is no indication of a break. The people have been in a measure reassured by a non-committal statement issued by the levee board which says the flood crest for New Orleans has been lowered, but the extent of the reduction is very slight.

All over the vast stretch of territory from Vicksburg to New Orleans, rescue work is on. In some cases it has been successful and in others it failed. Every dry spot has its crowd of refugees who are being brought to the larger cities as fast as boats can be provided for their transportation. In many cases, people are seen in trees and on the tops of houses, but the swiftness of the current renders the operation of small motor boats a hazardous occupation.

Women Insane From Hardships.

The town of Morgansea, regarded as safe, is now under several feet of water. The Torras break let the water in on the land side of the levees protecting that city and is weakening the structure. Many refugees who were brought to Morgansea will have to be taken to some other place, providing means of transportation can be found. They reported hundreds of their neighbors marooned when they left the flooded country. Many of the refugees were in a state of starvation when rescued and there have been instances of women going insane from the fright and hardships experienced.

Eighteen persons, 16 of them negroes, engaged in rescue work or already rescued, were drowned in three accidents. Near Torras, a motor boat containing 14 negroes capsized and all were swept away by the swift current. The boat struck a barge on which there were two other negroes. It also capsized, drowning them.

At Baton Rouge two white men met death by the overturning of a motor boat in the rushing waters.

GRADE LAWN AT CLUB.

The grading of the lawn at the Elks club has been practically completed and within a few days it will be seeded down. When the grass and shrubbery have obtained a good growth the lawn will be one of the most attractive in the city.

RE-DECORATE CAFE.

The exterior of the Belle Clair cafe, formerly the White Front, has been painted a pretty shade of green. The improvement is very noticeable.

PLAINTIFF RETURNS HOME

Antone Siegert of Silver Point, Wis., who has been here because of his case against Wm. Philpott in the circuit court, in which case the jury disagreed this morning, returned to his home today.

CAPT. W. B. CAPERTON

Captain Caperton has been assigned to duty as commandant of the naval station at Narragansett bay and the second naval district, including the naval training station, naval war college and torpedo station.

TITANIC SURVIVOR RETURNS TO HOME

MISS BERYHL LEAVES ROCKFORD FOR HOME IN SWEDEN AFTER LOSING SWEETHEART AND BROTHER.

Rockford Star: Miss Dagmar Beryhl left Rockford yesterday after two weeks' recuperation from the shock she received when the Titanic went down off the Grand Banks of Newfoundland, carrying her brother Kurt and her sweetheart, Ingvar Enander, to watery graves.

She will be accompanied on her return trip to Skara, Sweden, by her cousin, Miss Olga Lustig, at whose father's house in Pearl street she has been resting since she arrived here two weeks ago. Miss Lustig will see that she reaches her home in safety, and then stay in Sweden with relatives a few months.

Miss Beryhl was on her way to this country with her brother and sweetheart to visit her many relatives in Rockford, when all pleasant plans of the small company were shattered by the horrible disaster on the sea. She had no desire to stay here any longer than necessary to rest, and when her father in telegrams insisted that she return, she was not slow in answering that she would come.

The two young women will cross the Atlantic on the White Star liner Baltic, which leaves New York Thursday, the White Star line having offered to pay her expenses on her return trip.

PECULIAR FREAK OF NATURE DISPLAYED

Kewanee, May 8—Residents of this city noticed a peculiar freak of nature. During a shower of rain the water descended in torrents on the south side of a street and the gutter was streaming. On the north side of the street there was hardly a sprinkle, and at 6 o'clock this part of the pavement was perfectly dry while the south half was wet.

GUEST SHOOTS SELF.

Springfield, May 8—"What's this for?" Elsa Rickaby, aged 16, asked her friend, Miss Olive Morgan as she picked up a revolver on Miss Morgan's dressing table. Just then the revolver went off. The bullet entered Miss Rickaby's head just below the eye, and death followed instantly. Miss Rickaby, who is a Normal university student, arrived in the city the same morning for a week end visit. The accident happened a half hour after she arrived. She is the daughter of Prof. T. L. Rickaby, who is a well known music teacher in this city.

EXCAVATION FOR BUILDING COMPLETE

The excavation for the new Loftus & O'Connell building on Galena avenue, has practically been completed and the work of building the concrete foundation will be well under way before the end of the week.

POLICE DECLARE WAR ON CANINES

COMMISSIONER GANNON AROUSED TO ACTION AND UNLICENSED DOGS WILL BE DESTROYED.

OWNERS ARE SUBJECT TO FINE

Neglecting Buying License for Dog May Get Owner Into Trouble — Dog Catcher May Be Engaged — Police Are In Earnest.

Aroused by the indifference with which the citizens have greeted his requests that the provision of the dog ordinance be obeyed, Commissioner M. J. Gannon, of the department of Public Health and Safety, this morning issued strict orders to his policemen that the provisions of those ordinances be enforced to the letter.

Which means that relief from the dog nuisance is in sight; for under the ordinance every tramp dog will be destroyed, and even dogs belonging to citizens who are careless about having their dogs licensed, will also be shot.

Must Have Tags.

The ordinance provides that every owner of a dog must secure from the city clerk, on the payment of $1, a dog license and tag, and that the tag must be securely fastened to the animal's collar.

Section 148, which declared unlicensed dogs a nuisance, says:

"All dogs running at large within said city without such tag fastened thereto, are hereby declared a nuisance, and may be destroyed by the chief of police or any police officer, or by any person employed by the city for such purpose. All dogs running at large and untagged shall be taken by the police or other person employed for that purpose, and shall be placed in the pound provided for such purpose and kept therein for 24 hours, during which time the owner of the dog so impounded may have the same released by paying $1 in addition to the cost of the tag as hereinbefore provided, which tag shall be procured and securely fastened to such dog. All dogs impounded, if not released within 24 hours as herein specified, shall be destroyed by the chief of police or some person by him designated.

Owner May Be Fined.

The following section of the ordinance provides for fining the owner of any dog who allows it to run at large untagged. The section says: "All dogs found running at large contrary to the provisions of the last preceding section, whether owned or kept within or without the city, shall be destroyed by the chief of police, or any police officer, or any person designated for such purpose, and the owner or keeper of any such dog, who shall knowingly permit the same to run at large contrary to the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be deemed guilty of a mis demeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to a fine of not less than $3 nor more than $25.

Officers In Earnest.

The commissioner and policemen are in earnest regarding the nuisance, and after this notice will exhibit little patience in dealing with the subject. There are an exceptionally large number of tramp dogs of all descriptions about the city and they are proving decidedly unbearable.

The officers will watch for untagged dogs and destroy them, and it is very probable that Dog Catcher Harvey, who worked in that capacity last year, will be re-engaged before the end of the month.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST.

County Treasurer F. C. Vaughan and his assistant, Fred Dana, are busy now writing up the delinquent tax list which, according to law must be published on or before the 15th of the month.

COMMENCE UTLEY BUILDING.

Excavation for the Gordon Utley building on Galena avenue was begun this morning. The property is the old Salzman place, and Mr. Utley will construct a modern business block there. Elmer Uhl has the contract for the work.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

Are physically strong, or at any rate have much endurance. Love ease and comfort, and hate hard work. Are fond of music, art and poetry, but rather in a mechanical way. Have a strong will, show much calculation, and are apt to lay your plans well. Courageous. You should have great powers of endurance; have patience of the ox; you are to be depended on.

May 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Have much persistency, stubbornness and audacity; are shrewd, and with an eye open to your interests. You have spells when you are hard to please. Are mathematical, have good calculation. Take account of things before you move, but sometimes move the wrong way. Are very abrupt at times, and have good opinion of yourself; are rather hard to please.

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At Dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reese of Pine Creek entertained Sunday at dinner, Mrs. Jefferson Reese and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Warner and Mrs. Kate Winebrenner and Mr. and Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook of Seldom Inn.

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At Amboy

The Imperial orchestra furnished the inspiring music at the K. C. initiation held at Amboy Sunday at some of the exercises.

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Ahren's Men's Class to Entertain

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the Methodist church, Ahren's men's class will entertain the public with a most interesting and carefully prepared program, one that is calculated to delight the music lovers, old and young, and whic will no doubt be well attended by the many who will realize that they cannot well afford to miss this opportunity.

The musical program will be as follows:

Selection— Male quartette.
Reading—Miss Aschenbrenner.
Selection—Quartette
Solo, The Holy City Mrs. Lew Edwards.

There will then be a lecture, illustrated with a model of the Temple, by Ira W. Lewis, followed by another quartette selection.

There will be no offering and the public is cordially invited.

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Loyal Order of Moose

The Loyal Order of Moose will hold their regular meeting Wednesday evening, May 8, in the Moose hall. L. M. Jones, the deputy supreme organizer will be with us. There will also be a large class initiated. This meeting should be attended by every member and a special effort should be made by every officer to be present. Every member is also requested to be at the hall not later than 7 p. m., as there will be a special meeting at that hour that will interest every member

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Class for Fancy Dancing

The class for fancy dancing will be held at Prof. Strong's studio this afternoon, where the members will practice for the Jumping Jack dance

Causes Of Disease!

Fully 80 percent of food and drink have been rendered "foodless" by **unnatural** methods of cooking and serving!

Healthy, active brains and bodies cannot remain well and strong on such "matter." In fact they are worse than "foodless" they are slow poisons! No wonder the rate of insanity is increasing twice as fast as the rate of population of our state.

Dr. W. F. Aydelotte.

Neurologist & Health Instructor
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South Side Bridge Club.

The South Side Bridge club will meet on Thursday with Mrs. A. A. Rowland.

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At Nachusa House

Henry Noble was the guest of Gordon Utley at the Nachusa House yesterday.

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Birthday Party.

Fourteen of the little friends of Miss Alda Holdridge helped her celebrate her seventh birthday at her home on Peoria avenue yesterday afternoon, from 4 to 6. The young folks remembered their little hostess with a number of pretty presents, and enjoyed the afternoon thoroughly. Refreshments were served at 5:30 o'clock.

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Program Given.

Miss Agnes Levan, teacher of the Hollister school, closed a successful school year Saturday with a picnic. There were about 75 people present. A short program was given by the pupils of the school, which was enjoyed by all.

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Social a Success

The leap year social and dance given by the Stars of Equity on Monday evening was largely attended and a very enjoyable time was had by all. The music for the evening was furnished by Smith's orchestra. The enterainment of the evening was looked after by the men, of the lodge and from all reports it was a very pleasant evening. At a late hour the happy crowd left for home.

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Missionary Meeting

Misses Margaret and Olive Anderson entertained the members of the Y. M. F. M. S. of the Methodist church at their home Monday night. About twentyy were in attendance and a delightfull evening was spent The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. C. S. Moore. Miss Bertha Bennett sang a beautiful solo and quotations from Frances Willaad were given. Miss Imo Shelhamer gave a leaflet, "Her Name." Miss Stella Anderson read a charming story appropriate to the sub evening, from the study book. Mrs. Will Hintz gave a story which was much enjoyed also. Miss Emma Fer ry rendered a delightful piano solo. A guessing contest consumed some time and delicious refreshments ad ded to the pleasure of the guests.

Home and Foreign Missionary.

The W. H. F. M. society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ebinger, 218 Ottawa avenue, at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. A large attendance is desired.

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Fish Club to Meet.

The Monroe-Madison Ave. Fish club will meet at Staples' undertaking rooms this evening, at which time the charter will be closed with the addition of a number of new members, and the organization of the club will be completed.

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Women's Missionary Meets.

The Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George McWethy, 218 East Everett street. All of the members should attend.

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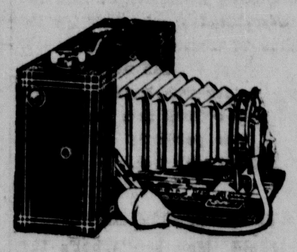
Invincibles Met.

The Invincibles met today at the home of Miss Lucille Morrison, Bluff Park.

Chautauqua Circle.

The Chautauqua Circle will meet with Miss Dora Breed on Thursday evening at her home on North Galena avenue.



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AMBOY SECTION

Amboy, May 8th—Mrs. Richard Gooch of Shaws was here yesterday shopping.

A. L. Jeanguenat was over from West Brooklyn yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Long have been called to Buda, this state, by the illness of their son.

Misses Edna Coates and Anna Ayres went to Dixon today for the day. George Lehman of Lee Center was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. Roy Fisher of Chicago is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Smith. Her two sons, Thomas and Paul, were with her.

William's "Fish Setter."

Our popular attorney, Wm. Leech, was the recipient of a houn' that is, figuratively speaking, being kicked around considerably by various light-minded persons.

Now this dog is a particularly fine one; the breed is a little hazy to the minds of some of those who are making the most fun of it, but that is because they don't know a good dog when they see one and are deplorably ignorant concerning the higher grades of dogs.

This particular specimen is a "Fish Setter," so Mr. Leech is alleged to have asserted. We will take his word for it.

Recital Postponed.

The children's recital to have been given Thursday evening by Prof. Strong's younger pupils, will be postponed until Friday, May 17th.

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W. H. M. S.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will hold the regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Sterling, on East Boyd street.

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Elks' Children's Party.

The preparations have been completed for the children's party at the Elks club tomorrow evening and there is every indication that it will be even more successful than was at first anticipated. The action of the house committee in permitting Elks and their children to invite other children has proven very popular and will undoubtedly result in many youngsters attending the affair. There will be dancing and games for the young folks, and during the evening refreshments will be served. The house committee will be assisted during the evening by a number of ladies.

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Colonial Guests.

Viscount David Warner, lieutenant of the English army, of London, is stopping at the Colonial Inn, Grand Detour, for a couple of weeks.

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Dance in Harmon.

There will be a dance in Harmon on Saturday evening. Good music will be furnished and a good time is expected.

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Many at Foresters' Party.

About 60 couples attended the May party given at Rosbrook hall last evening by the M. W. A. Foresters, and enjoyed the affair in every detail, despite the warm evening. Music was furnished by the Marquette orchestra, and the dancers enjoyed the evening thoroughly.

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Guests at Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Harvey and Miss Lucille Reynolds were guests at the Sheffield hotel at Grand Detour last evening.

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Launch Ride and Supper.

E. H. Vivian of the Public Service company, entertained a party of friends with a launch ride and supper at the Sheffield on Tuesday evening.

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Phidian Art Club.

A very enjoyable spring meeting of the Phidian Art club was held on Tuesday afternoon at the pleasant new home of Miss Anna L. Geisenheimer.

Miss Deitrich, Prof. A. H. Stoddard and Mr. Elmer Rice entertained the ladies with a delightful musical program, which was appreciated and each musician was called to respond with a second number.

Piano duets, "Two Spring Dances" Mosykomski. Miss Dietrich, Mr. Stoddard. Vocal solos, "Sunset" and "I Hear You Calling Me," Elmer Rice. Piano solos: Mamennoi-Ostraw, Rubenstein, "Varnum,", Schuman Mr. Stoddard. Mrs. Stoddard prefaced both of Mr. Stoddard's numbers with an interesting description which is always very pleasing, as well as instructive.

After the musical the annual election of officers occurred and resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Z. W. Moss.
Vice President — Mrs. W. C. Durkes.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. C. Trein.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. J. Petersberger.
Treasurer—Miss Jennie Laing.
New Member of Standing Committee—Mrs. E. E. Wingert.

The guests were then invited to the comfortable porch dining room, where the hostess served delicious strawberry nut sundaes and cake.

Finis—Amen.

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Are Invited.

The members of the children's dancing class are invited to attend the party given by the Elks Thursday evening for the children, without further notice.

CITY IN BRIEF

Joe Miller spent Tuesday in Chicago.

George A. Burchell of Erie, Ill., agent for the Mitchell automobile, is in Dixon today. He brought a new six-cylinder Mitchell out from Chicago last night.

W. J. Kennedy, who submitted to a minor operation early in the week, is reported to be convalescing very satisfactorily.

Mrs. H. C. Dixon, who has been seriously ill, is reported to be very much better today.

Romeyn Richtmeyer of Sterling was a visitor in this city last evening.

W. P. Cochran, James Jarvis and Joe Knaple of Sterling visited in Dix on last evening.

Mrs. A. J. Graff's condition remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plummer have taken rooms at the Lyman Booth home.

A. T. Tourtillott and wife have taken rooms in the Burridge residence, known as the Dr. Paine residence.

Frank Palmer, who has been visiting here during the winter, has returned to his home in Idaho.

Miss Sarah Shields of Stillwater, Minn., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Justice W. G. Kent has returned from a business visit in Chicago.

Attorney J. E. Erwin transacted business in the city yesterday.

Attorney H. S. Dixon returned last evening from Chicago, where he transacted professional business with the legal department of the C. & N. W.

Mrs. Donahue of Chicago is here visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Jordan, of North Dixon.

Mrs. G. H. Squires, who has been ill, is recovering.

Frank Campbell of Chicago is here visiting his brother, George Campbell, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bates are visiting in Nachusa.

Mrs. Frank Morgan went to Nachusa this morning for a day's visit.

Mrs. Sam McGaffey and Mrs. Scholl went to Chicago this morning to visit at the Ed. Drew home.

Mrs. E. C. Parsons will go to Chicago tomorrow to visit relatives. Her granddaughter, Harriet Parsons, will return with her.

Mrs. O. J. Downing and Mrs. Z. W. Moss will spend Thursday in Chicago.

Mrs. Will Smith has gone to Davenport on professional business and will spend the remainder of the week there.

J. H. Long of Amboy was here today.

Attorney Thomas I. Hanna of Silver Point, Wis., is here on professional business.

Harry Stultz has returned to his home in Franklin Grove after a visit in Dixon.

Constable W. V. E. Steel transacted business in Sterling today pertaining to his office.

Ernest Wetzler, S. R. and L. A. Rosenau, prominent young business men of Chicago, are spending a couple of weeks at the Colonial Inn.

AUCTION

Continues Every Day
2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

ALL THIS WEEK

Two Gifts Given Away At The Close Of Each Sale

Overstreet's

Treatment Is Not Severe

There is a class of people who delight to misrepresent and there is a class who want anything new misrepresented.

Every radical departure from established custom has a hard and long fight for recognition, as it will encounter prejudice and misrepresentation at every turn.

Osteopathy has had this experience, but the public is coming to recognize it more and more because of the success attained in the healing of disease.

One misrepresentation is, "Oh, it is just massage, or rubbing." This is not true, although the muscles and tissues may have to be relaxed some before adjustment can be made, but the main part of the treatment is adjustment of the tissues to their normal position and condition. If you should take treatment from an Osteopath and a masseur you would understand the radical difference.

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The treatment is graduated according to the condition of the patient and is not severe.

The Osteopath treats an invalid or a child very lightly, first manipulating any sore parts to remove the pain.

Osteopathic treatment is given the child as well as the adult or aged person.

C. E. STEWART, Osteopath.
Countryman Bldg. Phone 206.

MAY HAVE RECOVERED O. H. MARTIN'S GOODS

Sheriff Reid this afternoon received a letter from the sheriff of Washington, Ia., giving a description of some goods found near the Milwaukee stock yards in that city, and which the Iowa official states may be some of the goods stolen from the Martin store in this city. The description, however, does not tally in any particular with that of the property taken from the Dixon establishment.

WORK NEAR POSTOFFICE.

Plumbers this afternoon tore up Second street near the postoffice to repair a leak in the water main at that place.

HAS NEW MITCHELL.

Cashier H. L. Fordham of the Union State bank, has purchased a new six-cylinder Mitchell of George A. Burchell, Erie, Ill., agent for Lee and Whiteside counties.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED. Married couple wanted to work on a farm. Enquire at the Telegraph. 9 3

WANTED. Female Help—1 cook, 1 dining room girl. Apply at once to Ludlow House, Rochelle, Ill. 9 4

WANTED. Washings to do and house cleaning. Mrs. Potts, 719 Madison Ave. 9 3

WANTED. Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Max Rosenthal, 407 Peoria Ave. 9tf

FOR SALE. 20 S. C. R. I. Reds. Also baby chicks. P. S. Walker, phone 12470. Address 901 N. Crawford. 9 3

Look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. If you are in arrears you must remit at once, complying with the new postal law. tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Forrest and family and Gordon Utley drove to Grand Detour last evening in the new Forrest car and dined at the Colonial Inn.

EVERY Season brings new joys to those who Kodak. Make the most of the lure of the first soft days of Spring.

We have Kodaks from **$5.00** up, and Brownies from **$1.00** up.

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SCOOP THE CUB REPORTER

BRING THE CHILD IN MADAM - FIRST DOOR TO THE LEFT AND WE'LL TAKE ITS PICTURE —
BEAUTIFUL BABY CONTEST DEPARTMENT
NOW GET IT TO STAND LIKE THAT TILL THE PHOTO MAN COMES TO TAKE THE PICTURE
EVIDENTLY THE CHILD IS SPOILED — WE CAN'T TAKE ITS PICTURE TILL IT STOPS CRYING
SPARE THE ROD AND SPOIL THE PICTURE AS THE OLD SAYING GOES!
WOW
BRUTE!
LET SOMEONE SPANK — THAT KNOWS HOW —

Now, Scoop, Never Butt in on the Other Fellow's Property

DEMENTTOWN

It seems to the Observer that there is more interest on the avenue on the question whether the street is to be oiled again this spring than there is on the extended franchises which will be voted on next Tuesday.

There should be no cause for worry about oiling the ave. A canvass of the merchants shows an overwhelming sentiment in favor of the move, and none of them signify a willingness to go back to water.

Which has absolutely no reference to a water wagon.

Advance copies of Harry Pumphries' famous photograph can be obtained at the laundry.

The question has been asked if building permits have been granted for all of these improvements. We are c2k.

Great lessons are gained from history. For instance, McIntyre calls attention to Noah's life remarking that the people in his time were like a great many people nowadays, because they don't know enough to get in out of the wet, and therefore went under.

Lost—P. A. L., erstwhile contributor to this col. Any information regarding him will be greatly appreciated by Ye Ed.

The report that he had left for Mexico to hunt out a good hiding place, safe from stray bullets, has been investigated and is known to be a canard.

Many a man gives his wife credit for his success, not because she aroused his ambish, but because she made it necessary for him to get out and hustle.

A Real Generous Offer.

A novel and indeed generous offer was made in a divorce case in a neighboring circuit court not many months ago, and one of the judges who presides at the Lee county tribunal is authority for the story. The woman had been granted her decree and the judge was deliberating on what disposition to make of the 8-months old baby, when the woman timidly said, "Judge, I'd be willing he should have the baby half the time."

"Fine," replied the judge. "Does that suit you, Mr. So-and-So "

"Yes, your honor," replied the fond father, rubbing his hands.

"Please, judge," again said the mother, "He can have Harold nights."

It Stopped Her.

A woman, who had been about in one of Dixon's big dry goods stores for over an hour, during which time she had not purchased a thing, was accosted by the proprietor who, without hurting her feelings, wished to call her attention to the fact that she was proving a nuisance.

"Excuse me, ma'am," he inquired, "are you shopping here?"

"Certainly, what would I be doing?"

"Oh, I didn't know, but I thought perhaps you might be taking an inventory."

PENSION BILL AGREED ON

Senate Adopts Conference Report—Carries $25,000,000 Appropriation.

Washington, May 8.—The senate agreed to the conference report on the age pension bill, which was a compromise between the Sherwood dollar-a-day bill and the Smoot substitute, and carries an appropriation of about $25,000,000.

Big Railroad Enterprise Started.

Spartanburg, S. C., May 8.—Work has been begun on the Kentucky extension of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio railway. When completed this road, which was started by the late H. H. Rogers, will give a trunk line from the Great Lakes to the South Atlantic seaboard.

Healo!

To Keep Your Furniture Beautiful

EVERY woman knows how annoying it is to have unsightly spots, water stains and dirt stains spoil the beauty of her furniture, stairs and woodwork. They ruin the beauty of her entire home. Will you test, free, Johnson's Prepared Wax?

Johnson's Prepared Wax

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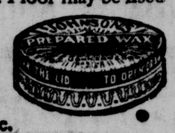

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Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	15	5	.750	Cleveland	8	9	.471
Boston	11	7	.611	Detroit	9	12	.429
Wash'ton	10	7	.588	St. Louis	6	12	.333
Phil'el'ia	9	8	.529	New York	4	12	.250

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincin'ati	14	4	.778	Pittsburg	7	10	.412
New York	13	4	.765	Brooklyn	6	9	.400
Chicago	10	9	.526	Phil'el'ia	6	9	.400
Boston	8	10	.444	St. Louis	5	14	.263

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Min'ap'lis	15	7	.682	Kan. City	9	13	.409
Columbus	16	8	.667	Louisville	8	12	.400
St. Paul	13	11	.542	Milwaukee	8	13	.381
Toledo	12	10	.545	Ind'ap'lis	7	15	.318

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Denver	13	5	.722	Omaha	8	10	.444
St. Joe	12	7	.632	D. Moines	7	11	.389
Topeka	10	8	.556	Wichita	7	11	.389
Sioux City	8	8	.500	Lincoln	5	11	.313

THREE EYE LEAGUE.

Dav'np't	6	1	.857	Decatur	3	4	.429
Dubuque	5	1	.833	Quincy	3	4	.429
Spr'gf'ld	4	2	.677	Danville	2	5	.286
Gl'm'g'n	3	4	.429	Peoria	1	5	.167

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Y'gsto'n	9	3	.750	G. Rapids	5	5	.500
Erie	9	4	.692	Wh'eling	6	7	.467
Spr'gf'ld	6	5	.545	Canton	6	7	.467
So. Bend	6	5	.545	F. Wayne	5	6	.455
T. Haute	6	6	.500	Akron	5	8	.385
Dayton	6	6	.500	Zan'sville	3	10	.231

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Keokuk	7	1	.875	Ottumwa	3	5	.375
B'rl'gt'n	6	1	.857	Monm'th	2	4	.333
Hannibal	4	4	.500	Galesb'rg	2	5	.286
Kewanee	3	3	.500	M'scatine	2	6	.250

WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.

Oshkosh	5	2	.714	Gre'n Bay	3	4	.429
Racine	3	2	.600	Ap'let'n	2	3	.400
Aurora	3	2	.600	Madison	2	4	.333
Rockford	4	3	.571	Wausau	2	4	.333

Monday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 0; Chicago, 1 (5 innings, called; rain).
Boston, 5; Detroit, 4.
Other two games postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 9; Boston, 4.
St. Louis, 2; New York, 6.
Cincinnati, 5; Philadelphia, 8.
Pittsburg-Brooklyn, no game; rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul, 9; Toledo, 6.
Minneapolis, 3; Columbus, 3 (11 innings, called; darkness).
Kansas City, 12; Indianapolis, 5.
Milwaukee-Louisville, no game; rain.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

St. Joe, 9; Omaha, 6.
Sioux City, 2; Des Moines, 0.
Lincoln, 4; Wichita, 3.
Denver, 6; Topeka, 4.

THREE EYE LEAGUE.

Bloomington, 2; Dubuque, 11.
Quincy, 4; Springfield, 3.
Peoria, 4; Decatur, 2.
Danville, 3; Davenport, 5.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Fort Wayne, 3; Terre Haute, 11.
Dayton, 2; Springfield, 10.
Youngstown, 13; Wheeling, 1.
Akron, 2; Canton, 1.
Erie, 3; Zanesville, 0.
South Bend-Grand Rapids, no game; rain.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Galesburg, 2; Burlington, 3.
Kewanee, 7; Monmouth, 6.
Ottumwa, 13; Hannibal, 2.
Muscatine, 3; Keokuk, 12.

WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.

Aurora, 1; Oshkosh, 6.
Madison, 4; Wausau, 13.
Rockford, 10; Green Bay, 5.
Racine-Appleton, no game; wet grounds.

OROZCO DENIES GOMEZ

Rebel Leader Refuses to Recognize Mexico's Provisional Government.

Escalon, Mex., May 8.—General Orozco, in command of the rebels here has refused to recognize the provisional government established last week at Juarez. He has sent Gomez a telegram threatening him with arrest unless he leaves Mexico. Gomez, it is understood here, is virtually a prisoner in Juarez. Orozco says he only invited Gomez to come and consult him and not to set up a government.

I. W. W. Shoot San Diego Policeman.

San Diego, Cal., May 8.—One policeman was shot and another wounded with an ax in the hands of a member of the I. W. W. during a disturbance here. A general riot call was turned in and the entire police force rushed to the scene of the trouble.

Major Butt's Will Probated.

Washington, May 8.—Directing that he be buried in the Arlington National cemetery, the will of Major Archibald Willingham Butt, late military aide to the president, one of the victims of the Titanic disaster, was offered for probate here.

Pretty Miss Sues Doctor.

Montgomery, Mo., May 8.—Miss Sylvia Hornet, a pretty eighteen-year-old girl, is suing Mr. W. B. Bonfiles, brother of the noted editor, for $4,000 here because she says he tried to kiss her.

Healo!

Healo!

GOOD-BYE CATARRH

Hyomei Quickly Clears Stuffed-Up Head and Stops Snuffling and Hawking

In the morning shortly after you awake, dear reader, do you have to hawk and strain to get that stubborn piece of mucus out of your throat?

Get rid of catarrh now, it will grow worse as you grow older. One day of breathing pleasant, healing HYOMEI, (pronounce it High-o-me the guaranteed catarrh remedy, will give you such wonderful relief that you will wonder why you doubted the statement that HYOMEI would end the most aggravating case of catarrh. Remember HYOMEI does not contain any cocaine, opium or other habit-forming drugs.

A hard rubber indestructible pocket inhaler and a bottle of HYOMEI costs $1. This is called the HYOMEI outfit. If one bottle does not banish catarrh, you can get another for 50 cents at Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere.

ENGINE MEN IN SESSION

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers Open Convention In Harrisburg.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 8.—The annual convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers opened here today and the sessions probably will continue for several weeks. The delegates include men from every railroad in the United States, Mexico and Canada. It is the belief that the convention will be a lively one, because of the rumored dissatisfaction of many of the men over the recent trouble with the railroads.

Illinois Central Branching Out.

Mobile, Ala., May 8.—Announcement of the control of the Cochrane lines in Alabama, with big shipping terminals here and extension to Pensacola, by the Illinois Central, giving two gulf outlets, is expected here.

10 HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

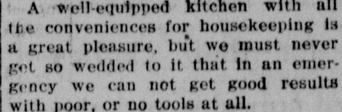
Southeastern Limited on Southern Railway Goes Into Ditch.

Columbia, S. C., May 8.—The Southeastern limited, on the Southern railway, which was enroute from New York to Jacksonville, Fla., was derailed three miles north of Columbia, S. C. Ten passengers were injured, but, so far as known, none is seriously hurt. Six, however, were brought to a hospital here for treatment. Two sleeping cars on the train turned over.

Mrs. Vanderbilt Improving.

New York, May 8.—At the home of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, it was stated that the patient is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

The KITCHEN CABINET



A LIFE spent in brushing clothes, and washing crockery, and sweeping floors—a life which the proud of the earth would have treated as the dust under their feet; a life spent at the clerk's desk; a life spent in the narrow shop; a life spent in the laborer's hut, may yet be a life so ennobled by God's loving mercy that for the sake of it a king might gladly yield his crown. —Cannon Farrar.

ECONOMY IN LIVING.

In these days of high prices it is well to remind ourselves that meat is an expensive luxury that can be cut in two. We do not need so much meat as we usually have served. A pound of meat mixed with vegetables and served as a stew will be as satisfying as a fifty-cent steak which is often only half eaten and thrown out to the dog or into the garbage can.

We eat too much of proteid foods. It has been often proven that well-masticated food eaten slowly will satisfy the appetite on a third less than when it is hurriedly eaten. The over-amount taxes the bodily functions and is not only wasted but depletes the system to remove it.

For brain workers easily digested food should be chosen; rice, fish, eggs and custards are all good.

We want dishes that are good, wholesome and appetizing, and they may be prepared if thought and study is put upon the subject, at a great saving of the pocket book and no difference in the attractiveness of the table.

Codfish a la Mode.—Take a cup of shredded codfish, two cups of mashed potatoes, a pint of milk and two eggs well beaten, a half cup of butter, pepper and salt; mix well and bake in a buttered baking dish twenty minutes.

Mountain Dew.—Take a cup of cracker crumbs rolled fine, the yolks of three eggs and half a cup of sugar, juice and rind of a lemon, three cups of milk, and bake twenty minutes. Beat the whites and put over the top for frosting.

A well-equipped kitchen with all the conveniences for housekeeping is a great pleasure, but we must never get so wedded to it that in an emergency we can not get good results with poor, or no tools at all.

Nellie Maxwell.

Bitter With the Sweet.

Auntie (who is housekeeping during mother's enforced absence)—Now, you see, children, I have made you a pudding—(murmurs of approval)—and there won't be any trouble over getting you to take medicine tonight, for I am not going to give you any. (Loud applause.) I have, however, mixed the pills and draughts and powders up with the ingredients of the pudding." (Groans.)—Tit Bits.

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If your stomach is sour and filled with vile gases, your headaches, or you are bilious, nervous, dizzy, half sick, your tongue coated, your thirty feet of bowels clogged, with waste not properly carried off—don't wait Surely take a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs tonight, and the morning all constipated waste, sour bile, gases and poisons will move on and out of the system, gently but thoroughly—no griping—no nausea—no weakness. In the days people let these matters run until they needed a large dose of physic then they took something severe like castor oil, salts or cathartics, that meant abuse to the bowels. These are the days of the gentle and natural—the days of Syrup of Figs. This way you are not drugging yourself. Syrup of Figs being composed entirely of luscious figgs, senna and aromatics can not cause injury.

Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," and look for the name, California Fig Syrup Company on the label. This is the genuine—old reliable. Any other so called Fig Syrup is an imitation ften meant to deceive you. Refuse such with contempt.

Change of Date Next Visit

18th YEAR IN DIXON

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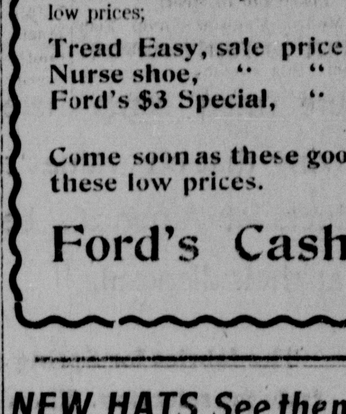
For over 17 years Dr. Prettyman has been coming to Dixon evry four weeks. What he has accomplished in the time is a matter of history Suffice it to say, it has made him a reputation that no other specialist has ever attained nor can hope to attain in this vicinity.

His Work Speaks for Itself

The doctor keeps abreast of the times by devoting all his spare time to clinical work in the Chicago hospitals. He is not content to rest on laurels already won but he is on the alert for anything and every thing that will assist him in diagno-sin and treating the many cases that come before him. In 1909 he had special work in hospitals of London and Edinburg and is enthusiastic over the results attained.

You Can Depend Upon Him

Others can come and go but Dr. Prettryman continues his visits regularly and does as he agrees in evry case. In employing him you are assured not only the best results but that he will be here for years to com



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In A Railroad Wreck

A large shipment of Lady's High Grade Shoes, shipped March the First from New York by Express to Ford,s Cash Shoe Store was wrecked in Indiana and did not arrive until March 30 The shipment contained the Famous Lady Health Shoe, Tread Easy with Cork Cushion sole and hollow rubber heal, the gypsy cut Nurse for tender feet, the Ford's Special $3, those shoes are in high and low heels in Goodyear welt and hand turned. All width from A to EE button and lace, Blucher's up-to-minute in style We have decided to put on sale April the 1st at the following low prices;

Tread Easy, sale price $3, regular price $3.50
Nurse shoe, " " $2.65 " " $3.00
Ford's $3 Special, " $2.65 " " $3.00

Come soon as these goods won't last long At these low prices.

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A Woman Suffrage Congress has just been held in Vienna, Austria, at which resolutions were passed protesting against the exclusion of women from political, legislative and administrative life in the state, and asking for a woman suffrage bill.

Michigan women, who are in the midst of an earnest campaign for equal suffrage, are finding a strong ally in the Grange, the most powerful organization in the state. At its annual meeting in December last and also at a conference of the executive committee in February, it was unanimously decided that the State Grange should not only give moral support but financial aid to the movement in Michigan. The state Federation of Labor is also giving valuable assistance.

The advisory committee of the Ohio Woman Suffrage association has perfected plans for a thorough and systematic campaign of education and organizers and speakers are now in the field, who will be reinforced by others as soon as possible. Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, state president, reports that the work is progressing rapidly and the headquarters are deluged with requests for speakers to address meetings in all parts of the state.

SNAKING.

The annual crop of spring snake stories is now coming in. But somehow one gets the impression that as a pursuit of youth snaking is out of favor with the modern boy.

In the district school of years ago, snaking was a popular function of spring, like playing marbles. To fail to get out after the annual hunt of black and striped snakes was like missing the huckleberry season or neglecting the annual trip to your neighbor's early fruit tree.

Care and thought was given the selection of a suitable weapon with which to attack the squirming enemy. Boys became connoisseurs and a good snake stick was cherished like a good bow and arrow or a finely hung top. It had to be limber enough to fit to a certain extent into the hollows of the ground in which the foe lay curled. Yet it must be sufficiently heavy to strike a cutting blow.

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CALAMITIES AT DAWSON, IOWA.

Freight Train Was Wrecked and Elevator Unroofed.

Savanna, May 8—A spread rail on Sunday night at Dawson, Ia., caused a freight wreck on the Milwaukee and a pile-up of fifteen cars. A cattle man was severely injured but no one was killed.

A severe storm at Dawson Sunday tore down the elevator there and unroofed several buildings.

AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Tomorrow evening the members of the Christian church of this city are planning to enjoy one of the most pleasant gatherings of the year. A Fellowship scramble supper will be served at 6:30. These parish gatherings have been well attended during the last two years and are pleasant affairs.

At 7:30 the annual roll call service will be held. Every member's name will be called and it is desired that each one will be able to answer "present."

As this service also marks the beginning of Mr. Fisher's third year with the church it should be largely attended.

Special musical numbers will enrich the evening's gathering.

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Dramatic Notes

OPERA HOUSE.

One of the most pretentious offerings of the season will be presented at the opera house, matinee and evening, Saturday, May 11th, when Harold McGrath's popular novel, "The Goose Girl," dramatized by George D. Baker, will have its initial presentation.

Everyone has read this popular novel and given their sympathies to the little goose-girl and then to the unfortunate Hildegarde. The American consul and his war comrade Hans Grumbach, the retired master-plumber, have our respects, the Grand Duke of Ehrenstein with his prime minister, and the mountaineer who assists Gretchen with her geese, the vintner who loves and is loved by our heroine, all make this the most interesting story that has ever been told in stagecraft.

ROSS' INNOVATION.

An innovation in the matter of securing choice theatre tickets has been inaugurated by the management of the Olympic theatre, where Thomas W. Ross is now in the 3rd month of his successful run in the title part of Winchell Smith's newest comedy, "The Only Son."

Heretofore non-residents of Chicago have invariably found it difficult to get desirable seats in many Chicago theatres. In order to facilitate matters it is now possible to send a check or money order by mail to the box office of the Olympic theatse, where a certain number of the choice seats are laid aside for each performance for the express purpose of filling out of town orders.

In its experimental stage the system will be in effect for two weeks, in order to give it a thorough test and to provide local theatre goers every opportunity to enjoy its advantages. If sufficient interest is shown in the idea it will be continued during the season.

It is also announced that Thomas W. Ross will continue indefinitely at the Olympic theatre in The Only Son, but owing to the fact that contracts have been made for his appearance in the east next season, it is not likely that he will appear in this play in any city in the vicinity of Chicago.

THE GRAND—CHICAGO.

Augustin MacHugh's melodramatic farce, "Officer 666," at present being played before crowded audiences of delighted people at George M. Cohan's Grand opera house in Chicago, is a striking object lesson in how easy a supreme success can be made when the management really understands the popular taste of the theatre goers and endeavors to cater to the same properly. Officer 666 is now in the ninth week of its presentation at the Yankee Doodle Boy's Chicago theatre showing not the slightest evidence of an abatement in the overwhelming demand made for the good natured and refreshingly entertaining fun on the opening nights. It is sure of a long life, for the piece is a very happy blending of the effective thrills of melodrama with the humorous sidelights of farcical comedy and a story, tested with originality and told in bright and saucy dialogue which betrays in no little degree the literary skill of Mr. MacHugh. Its principal charm lies in its good, healthy comedy, its honest, straightforward melodramatic situations and heaven be praised, love making without mawkish sentimentality. With perfect atmosphere and its ingenious complications following one another in quick succession, it carries one fleetly out of one's self; moreover, it is staged and acted in a manner reflecting credit upon the producing firm of Cohan & Harris, whose taste is evident throughout the entire production.

PRINCESS THEATRE.

The Princess will show another drama this evening in two reels with the gifted actress, Asta Neilson, in the title role, entitled, Woman Always Paye. It is considered the prettiest photography work ever shown on a screen and the drama holds you in wonderment to the end. A comedy called Brooms and Dustpans will also be shown.

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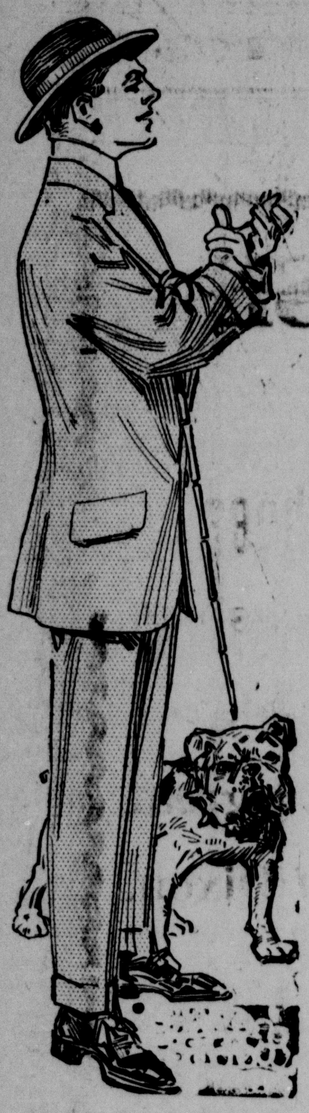

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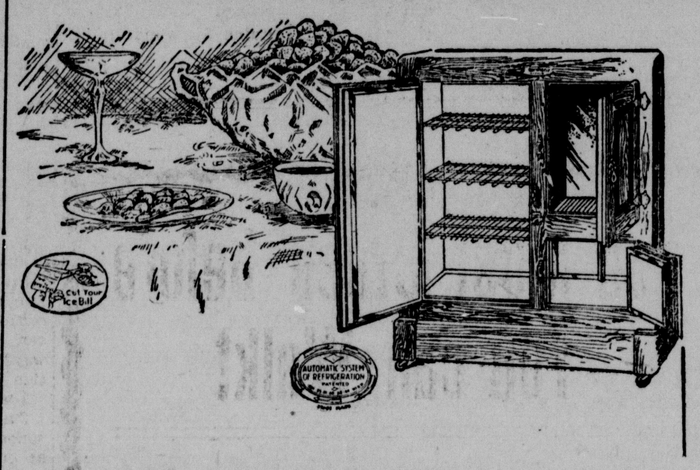

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STORY OF TITANIC.

William Gibbons of this city is engaged in the up to date enterprise of taking orders for a book giving a complete story of the wreck and sinking of the Titanic, a book containing 350 pages of thrilling tales of escape and rescue and stories of self-denial, heroism and bravery. The book contains 50 wonderful illustrations.

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VERY FEW KNOW HOW TO EAT

When Cooking Was Discovered and Pie-Making Invented, Man's Habits Changed.

(By HORACE FLETCHER, A. M., New York, N. Y.

Doesn't everyone know how to eat?

No!

Why?

Because!

In the first place, man was made to fit certain sort of food. He was given teeth and a digestive apparatus suitable for turning certain foods into muscle, bone, or heat, as these were needed or used up. Under those preadamite conditions there was no cooking. Fire even had not been discovered, except in the form of, and as the result of, lightning. How to make fire, at will, man did not know.

Before foods were cooked everybody was compelled to chew his food, for it was found in a liquid or mushy state; and there was not much of it.

In digging up human skeletons, which must have lived ages and ages ago, we find that men and women lived to great age and often died with full sets of teeth in their heads. These teeth were well worn, but not decayed, and this preservation of the teeth told a story of good health which could not be told better by words.

Thus we know that when there were no liquid or mushy foods, and when everybody was compelled to chew his food well in order to get the good there was in it, out of it, he was more healthy, and lived longer and kept his teeth better than he does now.

When did man forget how to eat?

When cooking was discovered and pie-making, and soup, and spices were invented. It then became easy to swallow, or "bolt," the food without properly mixing it with saliva; which is the first great necessity of good digestion.

That is how everybody forgot how to eat right. Old folks were in a hurry to get back to work, and little folks were in a hury to get out to play; and hence all of them got in the habit of eating too fast. So fast, that saliva had no chance to mix with the food; and half of it was not digested at all.

We know now that food which is not digested, and thus made into blood or heat, is liable to rot in the stomach, or, somewhere in the intestines. When the food rots in the body it poisons the body and that is what makes a person sick or tired. No well person should be tired in any other way than being sleepy. Other kinds of the "tired feeling" besides sleepiness means sickness.

Since we cannot always conveniently eat nothing but raw food, and since cooked food tastes so good to us, how can we avoid eating in the wrong way? That is the important question.

I will tell you.

Just treat the cooked foods, the soups, and mushes, and the like, just as our forefathers were compelled to treat their raw food; so as not to be sick or tired.

Chew everything that is solid for all it is worth, and get all the taste out of it before swallowing.

DISEASES OF THE MOUTH

Relation They Bear to Health of Individual—Factors Which Contribute to Uncleanliness.

Nature has provided human beings with teeth for the chewing of their food. It is in the mouth that the first, and one of the most important steps in digestion takes place, the only step, in fact, over which the individual has the slightest control. Hence the importance in nutrition of sound teeth and a clean mouth. To believe, as some do, that artificial teeth are quite as satisfactory in the mastication of food as are natural ones, is to be mistaken. By actual comparison they have been found to be ten times as inefficient. They sustain the same relation to natural teeth that a wooden leg does to one of flesh and bones. Since, therefore, nature has provided us with teeth, and made the chewing of food an essential to our health and well being, it is important that we make an effort to preserve them. Unfortunately, the mouth and teeth are subject to certain diseases which not only tend to destroy the teeth and make the mouth unclean, but to unfavorably affect the general health.

As is true of many other diseases, it has been found that germs play an important part in causing the diseases of the mouth. Under the most favorable conditions the human mouth may be regarded as being an almost ideal culture medium for germ life. In fact, it presents in point of temperature, moisture, nutritive material, etc., an almost perfect breeding place. Upward of twenty varieties, many of them dangerous to life and health, have been found to thrive and multiply in the mouth under unsanitary conditions. One investigator who has given years to the study of mouth bacteria, has estimated the number in one unclean mouth at 1,140,000,000. Neglect to properly care for the mouth, means therefore, an unclean and unhealthy mouth, a condition which may in turn seriously affect the general health by interfering with nutrition.

Among the factors which contributes to the uncleanliness of the mouth may be mentioned decay of the teeth, pyorrhea alveolaris or "Riggs Disease," chronic abscesses, commonly called "ulcerated teeth" or "gum boils," irregular teeth, partially erupted "wisdom teeth," tartar, inflamed and bleeding gums, artificial teeth, crowns, bridges, etc.

NEIGHBORING NEWS FOR BUSY READERS

Rockford—Frank Osborne lost control of a motorcycle he was riding and plunged headfirst into a tree fracturing his skull. His condition is serious.

Rockford—Justice of the Peace has a greed to triple the fines in all cases of drunk that are brough fore them since the sallons were closed.

DeKalb: Henry Herzog, the Sterling young man who was found unconscious along the right of way between this city and Creston, died on Sunday morning at the hospital.

Moline: While excavating for a barn on the old Wm. Montgomery es tate south of Reynolds late Friday afternoon, Meigs Erickson, a farmer, drove his shovel into a large wooden box. The box was badly rotted. Mr. Erickson began digging a short distance away and at that spot his spade struck the side of the box. After turning over the earth he found the box was a casket which had been in the ground for nearly half a century.

Rockford: During an altercation they had Sunday evening, Evar Warned, aged 15, stabbed his playmate, Dewey Adams, in the side with his jackknife. The wound he inflicted is not serious. The Warner boy was arrested and will be given a hearing later in the week.

Rockford: The B. Z. B. Knitting company is to build a 10-story factory building here, the first sky scraper in the city. It will cost about $100-000.

Wenona: James Eldon, a 9 year old lad who was walking along the I. C. track, was ground to death beneath the wheels of a freight train which he attempted to board Sunday afternoon.

Mt. Carroll: Dr. Jean I. Glidden was painfully burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove on Monday.

Galena: The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koster was burned to death when, while its mother was out in the barn gathering eggs, she got to the matches and started to play with them. The baby, which was an only child, was a year and 10 months old.

Davenport: Mrs. David Klosterman of Chicago, who was called here by the serious illness of her father, received a message that her husband had dropped dead on the street soon after she had left her home in Chicago.

ST. JAMES NOTES

May 6—Farmers are getting ready to plant corn.

Mrs. Henry Fane of Dixon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blaine.

Ed. Shippert called on A. Blaine Sunday.

L. Burdick of Eldena called on some of the St. James people last week.

Mrs. Martha Shippert entertained company last week. She is expecting company from Chicago this week.

Mrs. Glen Burket was in Dixon shopping last week.

The St. James and Nachusa W. F. M. S. will have an all day meeting at Mrs. Ed Miller's on the Chicago road on Thursday, May 9th.

Frances Miller, now of Dixon, was out on his farm Friday.

Mr. Philpott was out on his farm today.

The country is certainly looking very beautiful now as spring has arrived in all its beauty and grandeur. The fields are all nice and green, the fruit trees are in bloom; birds are singing their welcome songs of spring; frogs are croaking, bees are humming and the horrid flies are coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lambert entertained at dinner Sunday their son Lee from Pine Creek, Miss Coral Warner of Grand Detour; their son Floyd from Oregon and Ed. Sanders and Laura Barton from Dixon. Floyd Lambert returned to Oregon Sunday evening. Floyd is helping Dan Nettz of Pine Creek to build a barn for his brother 'n law, Geo. Huffman, who purchased the Gale farm this spring and moved from Oak Ridge there.

Mr. Levy of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mrs. Martha Shippert and family.

There will be a picnic at the Brick school Friday, May 10th, by the school, as school closes then.

Harry Shippert is hauling baled straw to Dixon.

A. Blaine is busy working in the Burkett and Chicago Road cemeteries again.

BABY BURNED TO DEATH.

Springfield, May 8—While playing about a burning haystack near here, the clothing of Susie Topocik, three years old, caught fire and the child burned to death.

OLD TAVERNS TO BE MARKED

Freeport, May 8—Elder William Brewster chapter, D. A. R., it has been announced, has undertaken the work of placing markers on the sites of the early day taverns in northwestern Illinois. The unveiling of the first of these is to take place in this city on June 14, when a bronze tablet, placed on the site of what was known as the old stage house, will be unveiled.

CLOUDBURST SWEEPS PEARL

Pearl, May 8—A cloudburst submerged this town recently. Many houses were washed from their foundations and the property loss will be large. All residents escaped to high ground.

Too Literal a Change.

One night when Viola Allen was playing Parthenia in "Ingomar," she once leaned pensively against a set piece and soliloquized sadly: "What sudden change has come upon the world!" On the instant the set piece overturned with the actress, leaving only one sandaled foot projecting in sight of the amused spectators.

Owe Greatness to Mothers.

Great men have usually been the sons of great mothers—that is, women of cultivated minds; not meaning by that highly educated, but of purposeful minds, noble-hearted women, thoughtful women. Men are usually the sons of their mothers, rather than of their fathers.—Burdette.

Detecting Shortcomings.

Do you wish to find out a person's weak points? Note the failings he has the quickest eye for in others. They may not be the very failings he is himself conscious of, but they will be their next-door neighbors. No man keeps such a jealous lookout as a rival.—J. C. and A. W. Hare.

LUMBER COMPANY BUILDS DRIVEWAY

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CHAPTER V.

The Threat of Swords.

Stepping from the glare of those gleaming parlor lights into the gloom of that narrow passage, blinded me for the instant, yet a moment later, I became aware of the distant glimmer of a candle, the faint reflection revealing the girl's face.

"Please do not talk; do not ask anything—yet," she urged hurriedly, noiselessly closing the door at my back, and as instantly gripping my sleeve. Her breath came quickly; her voice trembled from surpressed excitement. "Come with me, beyond the light yonder."

I followed her guidance, bewildered, yet having every confidence the reason for this mysterious occurrence must be fully justified. The passage curved slightly, terminating at a closed door. Scarce a reflection of the candle reached us here, yet my eyes were by now sufficiently accustomed to the gloom so that I could trace the outlines of her face. A vague doubt took possession of me.

"You are causing me to run away from Grant," I protested blindly. "You are making me appear afraid to meet him."

"No, it is not that," swiftly. "He was not coming to you personally at all—you were to be arrested?"

"What! He knew me then?"

"I am not sure—some one did, and mentioned his suspicions. Captain Grant was glad enough of an excuse, no doubt, but he," the soft voice faltering, "he made a mistake in twitting me for being friendly toward you."

"And you came to warn, to save me!" I exclaimed, pressing her hand.

"That was nothing; I could do no less. I am only glad I knew the way."

"You mean how you might reach me first?"

"Yes; it came to me in a flash when he first left me alone, only I was not certain in which parlor you would be waiting. I ran through the kitchen and down the back stairs; I helped the officers plan their decorations, and in that way learned of this private passage beneath the stairs. It was easy, but—oh, listen! they are in there now!"

We could hear voices through the intervening wall clearly enough to even distinguish words, as the speakers exercised little restraint. I felt the girl's slender figure press against me in the narrow space where we stood, and I clung to her hand, both remaining motionless and silent.

"That fellow has run, Grant," boomed some one hoarsely, "either afraid, or else what you say he is. See here, boy, did you see anyone in here lately in scarlet jacket?"

"I don' just 'member, sah," answered a negro, hesitatingly. "I was busy over dar' cleanin' de sideboa'd."

"Well, he's not here now, that's certain," broke in Grant impatiently, "and we've been in all the parlors? What next, MacHugh?"

"Try to head him off before he can get out of the city, of course. That's his game, probably. Osborne, have Carter come here at once. Why didn't you nab the fellow upstairs, Captain? Fool play that, sending him down here."

"I didn't wish to create a row in the ball-room; he was with Claire Mortimer—"

"Oh, I see," laughing coarsely. "Something besides military duty involved, eh?"

"I'll trouble you to be a trifle more careful, MacHugh," Grant said stiffly. "The fellow did her a small service in the afternoon, and she couldn't refuse dancing with him, as he was in uniform, and apparently all right. I advise you to drop that part of the affair. Here's Carter now."

I could hear the click of the newcomer's spurs as he crossed the room. MacHugh chuckled.

"Touchy about it just the same, I see; however we'll pass up the lady. Carter, there has been a spy in here tonight, calling himself Lieutenant Fortesque, of the 42nd Regiment. He came through the lines this morning with despatches for Howe, I understand. Did you meet him?"

"No, sir, but one of my men was riding about with him all day—Watts; I heard him telling about it an hour ago."

"Is that so? Where'd they go?"

"Covered everything, I judge, from Callowhill to the Lower Battery. Watts said he asked questions of everybody they met, but he didn't take any notes. He liked the fellow, but thought he was mighty inquisitive. Where is he now, sir?"

"The devil knows, I don't, and you'll have to find out. He'll head northwest likely; he'll never try to cross the river here. How many men have you?"

"Twenty."

"Scatter them to every north post. The fellow had no horse, and your troopers can easily get ahead of him. Hurry up now." Carter departed with click of steel, and MacHugh evidently turned to his companion.

"We'll catch the lad all right, Grant. Some of those outposts will nab him before daylight. No use our waiting around here; let's go back upstairs."

The girl's nervous grasp on my arm tightened, her lips pressed close to my ear.

"I—I must get back to my place at the table," she whispered. "Surely you know what to do; this is a rear door; there are stables a hundred feet away; you must get a horse, and ride fast—you—you will do this!"

"Yes, of course—but how can I thank you?"

"Don't try; don't ever even think of it again. I hardly know what mad impulse sent me here. Now I have but one thought—to hurry you away, and get safely back myself—you will go?"

"Yes—but—"

"Not now! there is no time for explanation, promises, anything. You heard what they said; every avenue of escape will be blocked within an hour. If you go at once you can outride them—please, please go!"

She held out her hand, and I grasped it warmly, unable longer to

"If You Go at Once You Can Outride Them. Please, Please Go!"

war against the pitiful appeal in her voice.

"Yes, I'll go, at once. But I take away with me a memory which will never permit me to be satisfied until we meet again. We have been together so short a time—"

"Had it been longer," she interrupted, "you would know me better, and care less, perhaps. I am a sham; a cheat," a trifle of bitterness in the tone. "You will learn all that some day, and laugh at yourself. Oh, I know you will; so not another word, sir. I am going; then, perhaps, you will."

There was a slight pressure of her fingers, and she had vanished so quickly I could only stare blindly along the deserted passage. Yet, an instant later, the peril of my predicament flashed back upon my mind, and I faced the immediate necessity for action. What her strange words might mean could not be interpreted; I made no attempt to comprehend. Now I must find means of escape, and learn the truth later. I opened the door cautiously, and stepped without, every nerve taut, every muscle braced for action. It was a star-lit night, and the numerous rear windows of the mansion cast a glare of light for some distance. The dark shadow of a high fence alone promised concealment, and, holding my sword tightly, I crept in that direction, breathing again more freely as I reached its protection unobserved. There was a guard stationed before the stable door—a Grenadier, from the outline of his hat—and others, a little group, were sitting on the grass a dozen feet away. If they had not been already warned I might gain a horse by boldness, but the probability was that here was where Carter had mounted his squad, and I would merely walk forward into a trap. I had better chance the possibility that some visitor had left a horse tied in front, or to one of the stands. With this possibility in mind I turned, and skirted the house, making myself as inconspicuous as possible. There were soldiers on the outside steps; I heard their voices without seeing them, and was thus driven to run swiftly across an open space, memory guiding me toward the opposite pavilion. Breathless, with heart beating fast, I crouched low in the shadow, endeavoring to make out my more immediate surroundings. There were no horses there, but I could clearly distinguish the stomping of restless hoofs somewhere to the right. As I straightened up, determined upon discovering an empty saddle if possible, the figure of a man suddenly loomed directly in front, advancing toward me. In startled surprise I took one step backward, but was too late. Already the eyes of the newcomer had perceived me, and he was shouting loudly, while he sprang forward, tugging at his sword.

"Hold on there! hold on!" he commanded shortly. "Who are you? What the devil are you skulking about out here for?"

It was Grant beyond a doubt; I would recognize the peculiar snarl of that voice in a thousand. He had not gone upstairs then; had not rejoined the lady in the dining-room. What would she think of his absence? What would she do when she realized its probable meaning? Someway I was not frightened, at thus meeting him, but glad—if those others would only keep away, and let us settle the affair between us. Here was his test—a coward would cry out an alarm, summon the guard to his assistance, but, if the fellow's nerve only held, or if he hated me badly enough, he'd fight it out alone. All this came to me in a flash, and the words of challenge spoken before he even grasped the thought of who I was.

"So I have discovered you, have I? Why did you fail to keep our appointment within?"

He drew up sharply with an oath, peering at me through the dark, bewildered by my speech.

"The spy! Ye gods, what luck! Do you mean to insinuate I ran away, sir?"

"How else could I interpret it?" I questioned coolly, determined to taunt him to action. "I waited where you told me till I was tired. Perhaps you will oblige me by explaining your purpose."

He muttered something, but without comprehending its purport I went on threateningly:

"And I think you made use of the word spy just now. Did you mistake me for another?"

"Mistake you? No; I'd know you in hell," he burst forth, anger making his voice tremble. "I called you a spy, and you are one, you sneaking night rat. You never waited for me in the parlor; if you had you'd now be under arrest."

"Oh, so that was the plan?"

"Yes, that was it, Mister Lieutenant Fortesque."

"Well, Grant," I said sternly, "I've got just one answer to make you. You can call your guard, or you can fight it out with me here. Whichever you choose will depend upon whether you are a man, or a cur." I took a step nearer, watching him as best I could in the dark. "You are an unmitigated liar, sir," and with sudden sweep of the arm I struck him with open hand. "Probably you will realize what that means."

For an instant he remained so still I doubted him, even held him cheap; then the breath surged through his clinched teeth in a mad oath. He surged toward me, but my sword was out, the steel blocking his advance.

"You—you actually mean fight?"

"Why not? Isn't that cause enough? If not I will furnish more."

"I do not fight spies—"

"Stop! That silly charge is merely an excuse. You do not believe it yourself. You wanted a quarrel yonder in the ball-room. The expression of your eyes was an insult. Don't evade now. I am here, wearing the uniform of the British army. I have every right of a gentleman, and you will cross swords, or I'll brand you coward wherever there is an English garrison."

I saw the sudden flash of his drawn blade, and flung up my own in guard.

"Wait; not here, Captain," I insisted quickly. "We're far too near your watchful friends yonder; besides the light is poor. Let's try our fortunes beyond the pavilion, where it can be simply man to man."

He turned without a word, and I followed, eager enough to have done with the business. The stars gleamed on the naked weapons held in our hands, but we exchanged no words until we had rounded the corner and come forth into the open space beyond.

CHAPTER VI.

The One Hope.

As he stopped and faced about, I as instantly halted.

"Perhaps this spot may satisfy your requirements," he said sarcastically. "'Tis far enough away at least, and the light is not so bad."

"It will do," I replied, and threw my scarlet jacket on the grass. "Strip to the white, sir, and then we can see fairly well where to strike. That's better. On guard!"

He came at me fiercely enough, confident of his mastery of the weapon, and, no doubt, expecting me to prove an easy victim of his skill. His first onslaught, a trick thrust under my guard, caused me to give back a step or two, and this small success yielded him the over-confidence I always prefer that an opponent have. I was young, agile, cool-headed, instructed since early boyhood by my father, a rather famous swordsman, in the mysteries of the game, yet I preferred that Grant should deem me a novice. With this in mind, and in order that I might better study the man's style, I remained strictly on defense, giving way slightly before the confident play of his steel, content with barely turning aside the gleaming point before it pricked me. At first he mistook this for weakness, sneering at my parries, as he bore in with increasing recklessness.

"A club would be more in your line, I take it, Mr. Lieutenant Fortesque," he commented sarcastically, "but I'll play with you a while for practice—ah! that was a lucky turn of the wrist! So you do know a trick or two? Perhaps you have a parry for that thrust as well! Ah! an inch more and I'd have pricked you—your defense is not bad for a boy! By all the gods, I tasted blood then—now I'll give you a harder nut to crack!"

I was fighting silently, while his closed, husbanding my breath, scarcely hearing his comments. Every stroke, every thrust, gave me insight of his school, and instinctively my blade leaped forth to turn aside his point. He was a swordsman, stronger than I, and of longer reach, yet his tricks were old, and he relied more on strength than subtlety of fence. He countered with skill, laughing and taunting me, until his jeers made me fight grimly, with fresh determination to end the affair.

"By God! you have a right pretty thrust from the shoulder," he exclaimed. "Been out before, I take it. But I'll show you something you never learned. Odds, I'll call your boy's play!"

"Better hold your breath, for you'll need it now," I replied shortly. "The boy's play is over with."

Step by step I began sternly to force the fighting, driving my point against him so relentlessly as to hush his speech. Twice we circled, striking, countering, fighting, our blades glittering ominously in the starlight, our breathing labored with the fierceness of the fighting. Both our swords tasted blood, he slicing my forearm, I piercing his shoulder, yet neither wound sufficed to bring any cessation of effort. We were mad now with the fever of it, and struggling to kill, panting fiercely, our faces flushed, the perspiration dripping from our bodies, our swords darting swiftly back and forth. He was my match, and more, and, had we been permitted to go on to the end, would have worn me down by sheer strength. Suddenly, above the clash of steel, came the sound of voices; our blades were struck up, and the dark forms of men pressed in between us.

"Stop it, you hotheads!" some one commanded gruffly. "Hold your man, Tolston, until I get at the reason for this fighting. Who are you? Oh, Grant! What's the trouble now? The old thing, eh?"

I had no desire to wait his answer, confident that Grant was sufficiently

I Had Gained a Hundred Feet Before Those Behind Me Had Grasped the Meaning of My Unexpected Flight.

angry to blurt out everything he knew. They were all facing his way, actuated by the recognition. Breathless still, yet quick to seize the one and only chance left, I grabbed up my jacket from the grass, and sprang into the darkness. I had gained a hundred feet before those behind grasped the meaning of my unexpected flight, and then the tumult of voices only sent me flying faster, realizing the pursuit. The only open passage led directly toward the river, and I raced through the black night down the slope as though all the fiends of hell were after me. I heard shouts, oaths, but there was no firing, and was far enough ahead to be invisible by the time I attained the bank. An open barge lay there, a mere black smudge, and I stumbled blindly across this, dropping silently over its side into the water. It was not thought, but breathless inability to attempt more, which kept me there, clinging to a slat on the side of the barge, so completely submerged in the river, as to be invisible from above. Swearing fiercely, my pursuers stormed over the barge, swinging their swords along the edges to be sure I was not there. One blade pricked me slightly, but I held on, sinking yet deeper into the stream. I could see the dim outline of heads peering over, but was not discovered. The same gruff voice which had interrupted the duel broke through the noise:

"I tell you he turned to the left; I saw him plainly enough. What did you say the fellow's name was, Grant?"

"How do I know? He called himself Fortesque."

"Sure; the same one Carter was sent out hunting after. Well, he dodged down there among those coal sheds. This is the only way he could have disappeared so suddenly. Come on, all of you, except Moore and Cartaret, and we'll beat the shore."

I heard them scramble across to the bank, but there were sounds also proving the guards left behind were still on the deck above me. Then one of the fellows sat down on the edge of the barge, his feet dangling within a few inches of my head.

"Might as well take it easy, Bill," he said lazily. "They're like to be an hour layin' hands on the lad, an' all we got to do is see he don't fox back this way. Got any tobacco, mate?"

The other must have produced the necessary weed, for there was a scraping of flint and steel, a gleam of fire glinting on the water, and then the pungent odor wafted to me in puff of smoke. With one hand, I unbuckled my sword belt, letting it, sword and all, sink silently into the river. I might cross to the opposite bank somehow, and would have to dispense with the weapon. Inch by inch, my fingers gripping the narrow slat to which I clung, I worked slowly toward the stern of the barge, making not so much as a ripple in the water, and keeping well hidden below the bulge of the side. The voices above droned along in conversation, of which I caught a few words.

"Who was he? You mean the lad they're after down yonder? Oh, I mind now, you came up later after we'd started the chase. Holy Mother, I don't know much myself, now I come to think of it. He looked like a Britisher, what I saw of him, an' he was fightin' with a Captain of Rangers—Grant was the name; maybe you know the man?—behind one of the stands."

"They'll never get him," returned the other solemnly.

"Because it's my notion he swum for it. I was closest down the bank, an' somethin' hit the water."

"But them's the Jerseys over yonder; if he was a spy he'd be headin' the other way."

"It's little he'd think of the way with the gang of us yelpin' at his heels. Besides, there's plenty of his kind over in those Jerseys who'd take good care of the likes of him."

"But there's a guard stationed across yonder."

"Pish, a corporal's squad, just about opposite at the ferry landin', an' a company of Yagers down at Gloucester. There's plenty room between for a bold lad to find free passage."

The two fell silent, staring out over the water. They had set me thinking, however, and this knowledge of where the British pickets were stationed was exactly the information I most required. I had no desire to cross the Delaware, yet apparently in that direction lay the only remaining avenue of escape.

At the lower end of the float I managed to silently remove my boots, and then waited, listening to the movements of the men above. I must have clung there ten minutes, expecting every moment the party scouring the shore would return, yet not daring to make the venture with those fellows sitting there, and silently gazing out across the water. At last I heard them get to their feet, and tramp about on the flat deck of the barge, the low murmur of their voices reaching me, although words were indistinguishable. I could hope for no better time. Filling my lungs with air, I sank below the surface of the river, and then, rising, struck boldly out into the full sweep of the current.

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LEE NOTES.

Of late Willow Creek has its share of autos.

George Jacobson was in Rochelle Wednesday.

The house and lot of Tora Jacobson will be sold at auction on May 11th.

John O'Donnell spent Wednesday in Aurora.

Mrs. D. McCormick was in Rochelle Wednesday.

Many went to Shabbona Saturday night to see the wrestling bout.

Mrs. Lars Helland visited in Steward Tuesday.

Misses Villo Beels and Myrtle Jordal visited the Steward school Tuesday.

Rev. J. Parker and H. McCraig were in Shabbona last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Olson of Radcliffe, Ia., are here visiting with his brother Martin.

Roy Tilton, John Arndt and Roy Stage made a business trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Hazel and Millie Edwards were visiting at the L. Zoeller home in Rochelle Tuesday.

Mrs. Herbert Beels was in Rochelle Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Beels and daughter Villo, were shoppers in Rochelle Wednesday.

Mrs. Elsie Olson spent Tuesday in Rochelle and visited her daughter in Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyrus Epla and daughter, Mrs. R. Adrian, were in Dixon for a couple of days last week.

Supervisor John H. Grove of Willow Creek met with the board the past week.

Dr. M. S. Brundage returned Tuesday night from Durand, where he had been detained by sickness in his family.

Co. Supt. L. W. Miller of Dixon was visiting the schools of Willow Creek during the fore part of the past week.

Mrs. Peter Daum of Hinckley and Mrs. Ed. Daum of Steward visited with their sister, Mrs. O. A. Halsne, Wednesday.

W. J. Kennedy, the new president of the Sycamore wire fence company was in Sycamore four days the past week looking after the enterprise.

John O'Donnell has bought the Colby livery barn and lot. He expects to do some remodeling and use same as a feed stable.

Mrs. E. T. Cutts of Earlville accompanied her niece, little Helen Harris, home last Monday. Mrs. Cutts remained for a short visit with her parents.

Lewis Zoeller and family have moved from Beloit to Rochelle. Mr. Zoeller is engaged in the painting business. They were formerly from Lee.

At the adjourned meeting of the village board Friday night J. E. Meimberg was again awarded the contract for pumping the water for the village at $45. Why not contract for a period of three or five years?

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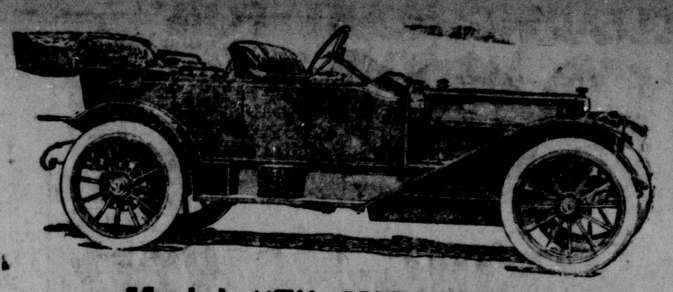

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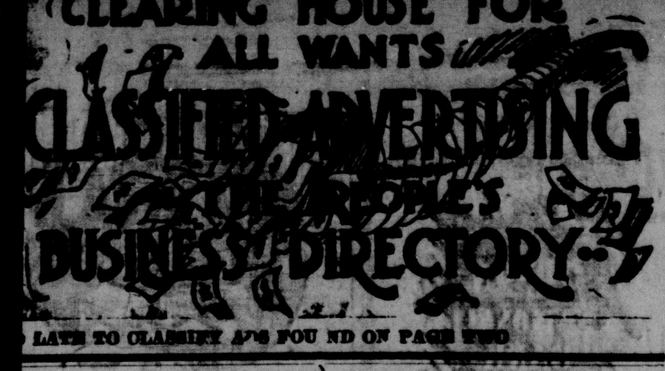

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3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.

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Wheat—				
May	117½	117⅝	116¼	117¼
July	113½	114S	112¼	113⅜
Sept	109¼	109½	107⅝	108¾
Corn—				
May	80	80¾	80	80¾
July	77⅛	77⅞S	77	77⅞
Sept	74⅞	75½S	74¾S	75½
Oats—				
May	57	57⅝S	56⅞	57⅝
July	53	54	52⅞	54
Sept	43⅝	44¼	43⅝	44⅛
Pork—				
May	1940	1940	1925	1925
July	1965	1965	1945	1960
Ribs—				
May	1045	1087	1087	1087
July	1107	1110	1102	1105
Lard—				
May	....	1045	1045	1045
July	1045	1060	1047	1057

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Heavy—730@782½.
Rough—730—750.
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Hogs—26,000.
Cattle—16,000.
Sheep—14,000.
Hogs close 10 to 15c higher.
Estimated tomorrow—17,000.

U.S. TROOPS TO BORDER

Cavalry and Infantry Regiments Ordered Home.

War Department Instructs Colonel Steever at San Antonio to Investigate Shooting of Private Baker.

Washington, May 8.—The Second cavalry and the Fifth regiment of infantry now in the Philippines were ordered to embark immediately for the United States. After arriving in San Francisco the cavalry will proceed without delay to Fort Huachicha, on the border of Mexico, in Arizona. The infantry will go to San Antonio for distribution along the Rio Grande. The Fourteenth cavalry, which arrived in San Francisco less than two weeks ago, is already divided between Forts Clark and McIntosh in Texas. The Third infantry, which arrived from the Philippines ten days ago, is now in San Francisco awaiting distribution in the same locality. It was stated at the war department that before June 15 every cavalry regiment in the United States will be on duty on the Rio Grande.

It is confidently anticipated that within the next few days the Eleventh infantry, now stationed at Fort Russell, Wyo., will be on its way to San Antonio. Cars for the transportation of these troops have already arrived at the fort.

The war department has instructed Colonel Steever, stationed at San Antonio, to immediately investigate the shooting of Private John Baker on guard duty on the Rio Grande, near El Paso.

WILSON LEADS IN TEXAS

Col. Roosevelt Ahead of President Taft by 20 Delegates.

Dallas, Tex., May 8.—Returns from about half the state show that Woodrow Wilson is in the lead in the number of instructed delegates to the Democratic convention chosen at the various county conventions. Wilson has 251 delegates to the state convention, Harmon 65 and Clark 29. Thirteen counties gave no instructions.

The number of votes necessary to control the Republican convention is 127. Returns up to midnight give Roosevelt 50 delegates and Taft 30. Twenty-seven counties did not instruct.

UNDERWOOD LEADS WILSON

Mississippi First State Democratic Primary is Still in Doubt.

Jackson, Miss., May 8.—From indications Mr. Underwood has quite a lead over Governor Wilson in the state of Mississippi at large but by a rather small margin, judging by the vote in Hinds county. Nothing definite can be learned just now as to what the outcome of the first Democratic primary will be.

HOLD TWO CONVENTIONS

Republicans of Arkansas Send Taft and Roosevelt Delegates to Chicago.

Little Rock, Ark., May 8.—The Republicans of Arkansas held two state conventions here, selected two state tickets, two sets of delegates to the national convention and instructed for President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt, both conventions also selected complete organizations of party machinery. Both were largely attended.

METHODISTS SEEK HIGH TRIBUNAL

Attempt to Create Final Court at General Conference Is Defeated.

SHARP DEBATE OVER QUESTION

Hold Mass Meeting for Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—Liquor Traffic Referred To—Jack Johnson Pays Delegate's Expenses.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 8.—Democracy prevailed in the Methodist general conference when an attempt to create a final court of appeals was submitted in the report of the commission on judicial procedure.

Prominent jurists who are delegates to the conference as Dean Henry Wade Rogers of the Yale law school, and Supreme Court Justice Anderson of Washington, together with Dr. R. J. Cooke of New York, and Dr. S. W. Van Cleve of Illinois, pleaded earnestly for the adoption of the report.

Dr. James M. Buckley led the opposition and was sustained by Rev. Edgar Blake of New Hampshire, Dr. R. A. Chase of Colorado, Rev. Charles H. Richardson of Baltimore and others.

Church Needs Supreme Tribunal.

Dean Rogers declared that the church needed a supreme court similar to the United States government. Doctor Buckley thought there was enough ecclesiastical machinery in the church at present and believed the general conference should not relegate its power to a higher court. During the debate a sharp tilt and snappy rejoinders between Doctor Cooke and Doctor Buckley enlivened the conference. The report was defeated by a majority vote.

A mass meeting was held in the interest of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society. All women missionaries attending the general conference occupied the platform. Bishop Luther B. Wilson addressed the meeting. Three other bishops took part. Miss Jennie V. Hughes, field worker, made a stirring appeal for the work today in China. A great array of statistics were given to show the work done in China, Japan, Korea, Malaysia and other parts of the foreign field. Collections for the 40 years amounted to over $18,000,000 and 670 missionaries had been sent out.

At the meeting of the committee on temperance and prohibition a memorial was presented declaring that the liquor traffic could best be fought by the agency of the Prohibition party. As this is a matter in which there is much room for debate it was relegated to a subcommittee for consideration.

Jack Johnson Pays Delegate's Expense

The committee on book concern met and began consideration of a mass of memorials dealing with the consolidation of church, periodical and internal affairs of the publishing business. An interesting fact came to light when it became known that Jack Johnson, negro prize fighter, paid the expenses of Mrs. Ross Simpson, colored delegate to the conference from Galveston, Tex. She declared that she had prayed four years for the money to come.

WASHINGTON CLARK'S

Speaker Wins Out in State Democratic Convention.

Vote Stood, Clark, 455, Wilson 166. Bryan 135½ and Harmon 1½—Platform Is Adopted.

Walla Walla, Wash., May 8.—The state Democratic convention in session here, voted to endorse Champ Clark as its candidate for president. The vote stood: Clark, 455; Wilson, 166; Bryan, 135½; Harmon, 1½.

Previous to the vote and during its progress, an attempt was made to stampede the convention for W. J. Bryan, but it was unsuccessful.

Among the features of the platform is a provision for non-partisan county elections. A graduated income tax law is recommended and the Oregon plan of direct election of U. S. senators is endorsed.

The resolutions also recommend the initiative, referendum and recall without specifically going into the question of the recall of judges. Enactment of a presidential primary law by the next session of the legislature is also urged.

OMAHA CHOOSES DAHLMAN

Will Be Mayor Under New Commission Form of Government.

Omaha, Neb., May 8.—The first election since the adoption by Omaha of the commission plan of government resulted in the election of James C. Dahlman, Democrat, present mayor of the city, and six other commissioners on the Dahlman non-partisan ticket, and the defeat of the citizens ticket. Dahlman will be chosen mayor.

Madonna by Raphael Found.

Berlin, May 8.—Anders Zorn, the famous Swedish painter, has discovered in a Stockholm curiosity shop a painting of the Madonna with a carnation, which experts declare is the work of Raphael and a specimen of the master's Florentine period.

GUFFEY IS DETHRONED

DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATION IN PENNSYLVANIA OVERTHROWN.

State Convention Elects Twelve Delegates Instructed to Vote for Woodrow Wilson for President.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 8.—Following within less than a week the overwhelming defeat of the old Penrose Republican machine, which went down under the Roosevelt avalanche, the Democratic state convention accomplished the complete overthrow of the Guffey organization that has dominated the Pennsylvania Democracy since 1896.

Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer is to take Guffey's place as national committeeman and George W. Guthrie is to be state chairman. These, with Vance C. McCormick, will constitute the new party management.

The convention elected twelve delegates-at-large to the national convention and instructed them to vote for Woodrow Wilson to the finish.

The platform advocates the initiative and referendum, woman suffrage and the enactment of laws to deprive the judiciary of all executive duties and prohibit its interference with the functions of the legislature in the employment of the police power.

Little Rock, Ark., May 8.—The Republicans of Arkansas held two state conventions here, selected two state tickets, two sets of delegates to the national convention and instructed for President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt.

Baltimore, Md., May 8.—Theodore Roosevelt wins in the Maryland primaries by a narrow margin.

His popular majority in the statewide primaries was 3,000, while Clark's plurality over Wilson was 11,500.

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Convention of Railway Engineers.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 8.—Representative engineers from every railroad in the United States, Canada and Mexico are here attending the annual convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which opened today. It is expected that the convention will continue its sessions for the greater part of the month. While the greatest secrecy is maintained with regard to the matters to be discussed during the convention and particularly with regard to the attitude of the rank and file of the delegates toward the recent trouble with the railroad men, it is freely rumored here today that many of the men are dissatisfied and that the convention will be one of the stormiest in the history of the organization.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, May 7.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—				
May	1.16⅝	1.18	1.16	1.17⅜
July	1.12⅞	1.13	1.13⅝	1.14⅜
Sept.	1.09⅜-10	1.10⅝	1.09⅜	1.10⅜
Dec.	1.09½	1.11	1.09	1.10⅜
Corn—				
May	80¼	.80⅛	.79⅝	.79⅞
July	77⅝-¼	.77	.76⅝	.76⅞
Sept.	75½	.75⅝	.74⅝	.74⅝-⅞
Dec.	.64-64	.64	.64	.63⅛
Oats—				
May	56¼	.57	.56	.57
July	53⅜-½	.53⅝	.52⅝	.52⅞
Sept.	44⅜-½	.44⅝	.43⅝-⅝	.44⅜-½

Live Stock.

Chicago, May 7.

CATTLE—Choice to fancy steers, $8.75@9.00; medium to good steers, $7.00@8.20; inferior to fair steers, $5.85@7.10; fat cows and heifers, $5.15@8.05; canning cows and heifers, $2.50@4.00; native bulls and stags, $3.85@7.40; feeding cattle, 600@1,100 lbs., $4.10@6.75; fair to fancy veal calves, $7.25@8.10; heavy calves, $3.75@6.50.

HOGS—Bulk of sales, $7.50@7.70; heavy butchers, 240@300 lbs., $7.65@7.80; light butchers, 190@230 lbs., $7.56@7.65; light bacon, 160@190 lbs., $7.30@7.62; light light, 130@155 lbs., $7.15@7.40; heavy shipping, 250@350 lbs., $7.50@7.70; heavy packing, 260@400 lbs., $7.45@7.60; mixed packing, 200@250 lbs., $7.40@7.50; light mixed, 175@200 lbs., $7.30@7.50; poor to best pigs, 60@135 lbs., $4.75@6.80.

New York, May 7.

WHEAT—Easier, dull trade; No. 1 northern, spring, $1.29; No. 2 red, $1.25¾; No. 2 hard, $1.26½.

CORN—Dull, quotations nominal; No. 2, 87@92c.

OATS—Flat, dealings inactive; No. 2 white, 62½c; standard, 62½c; ungraded, 62@66c.

BARLEY—Steady; malting, $1.22@1.38.

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 7.

CATTLE—Market light and steady; prime steers, $8.25@8.60; butcher grades, $3.75@7.60; calves, cull to choice, $5.00@8.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active, Lambs, 40c higher; choice lambs, $8.25@8.40; cull to fair, $6.00@7.75; yearlings, $7.00@7.25; sheep, $3.00@6.75.

HOGS—Market active, 10@15c higher; Yorkers, $7.90@8.00; pigs, $6.65@6.75; mixed, $7.90@8.00; heavy, $8.00@8.10; roughs, $6.75@7.10; stags, $5.50@6.00.

Omaha, May 7.

CATTLE—Native steers, $6.30@8.60; cows and heifers, $3.75@7.50; western steers, $4.75@7.75; Texas steers, $4.50@6.50; range cows and heifers, $3.25@6.25; canners, $3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, $4.25@7.25; calves, $3.75@7.75; bulls, stags, etc., $4.50@6.50.

HOGS—Heavy, $7.55@7.70; mixed, $7.40@7.35; light, $7.25@7.55; pigs($6.00@7.25; bulk of sales, $7.35@7.60.

SHEEP—Yearlings, $7.75@8.75; wethers, $7.25@8.00; ewes, $6.00@7.50; lambs, $9.50@10.35.

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MEETING ENDS AT CENTRALIA

Rev. G. Passman Is Elected President at the Twenty-Sixth Annual Conference of German Evangelical Church.

Centralia, May 8.—The twenty-sixth annual conference of the Southern Illinois District of the German Evangelical church closed. Three hundred delegates were in attendance and much work was transacted. Rev. G. Plassman of Granite City was chosen president of the conference, and Millstadt was selected as the 1913 meeting place.

Ava High School Graduates.

Ava, May 8.—Rev. Fred Comber preached the baccalaureate sermon for the 1912 Ava High school graduating class at the Ava Free Baptist church. The joint choirs of the Free Baptist and Presbyterian churches furnished the music. There were twelve graduates. Prof. William Ullrich, principal, and Miss Ruby Jernigan, assistant principal, were their teachers.

Man, Sentenced, Ends Life.

Chicago, May 8.—Julius Christianson, sixty years old, sentenced to fourteen years in the state penitentiary for the murder of his landlady, Irene Watson, committed suicide by hanging himself from his cell bars with a strip torn from a bed sheet. He was to have been taken to Joliet.

Autoists to Inspect Roads.

Bloomington, May 8.—The date for the inspection tour of townships in McLean county is June 5. Fifty cars will be engaged, and the highway commissioners will be invited to participate. The party will visit every township, the object being to show the condition of the roads.

Required to Weigh Ice.

Decatur, May 8.—The city council has just passed an ordinance requiring ice men to weigh every piece of ice delivered and in the presence of the customer whenever demanded and also makes it a fineable offense to attempt to charge for more than actually delivered.

Musical Club Elects Officers.

Duquoin, May 8.—The Musurgia Musical club has elected the following officers: President, F. Bert Sparks; vice-president, Miss Louise Kelly; secretary, Miss Faye Williams; treasurer, Miss Blanche King; librarian, Miss Edith Brown.

Girls Chorus Formed in School.

Duquoin, May 8.—The students of the Duquoin Township High school have organized a girls' chorus and an orchestra, the former under the direction of Miss Mary I. Spilman of the faculty and the latter under Charles Rogers, Jr.

Farmer Killed by Train.

Decatur, May 8.—Eli Sandford, aged farmer of Hyndsboro, while running to his son's assistance in a runaway, was struck by the wagon tongue, knocked down and his head crushed by the wagon wheels. He died in a few minutes.

Fairweather Is Re-Elected.

McLeansboro, May 8.—The board of education met here last week and re-elected W. C. Fairweather superintendent of the city schools for the tenth consecutive year at a substantial increase in salary.

Wreck Victim Identified.

Springfield, May 8.—The man killed in the wreck of the Chicago & Alton fast passenger train at Knapp, near here, was identified as Stuart Cherry of this city.

Bees Kill Attacking Dog.

Mount Vernon, May 8.—A bird dog belonging to Ashibel Free attacked a beehive in a playful mood. The bees stung the dog to death.

Jealous Man Shoots Girl.

Indianapolis, May 8.—Harry Harten of Marion, O., became acquainted with Bertha Massey, a young woman of this city, Tuesday evening. Last evening he met her on the street with another man. Harten drew a revolver and opened fire on her. The young woman was seriously wounded and may die. Jealousy was the cause.

Law Fast in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., May 8.—Lewis Lagrande and Frank Miller, murderers of Policeman C. S. Matthews in Topeka Sunday morning, began serving life terms in prison within 48 hours after the murder. Both pleaded guilty.

Butchers Start Meat War.

Cleveland, O., May 8.—Sixty Kosher butchershops are closed here as the first move of a united strike on the part of the Kosher butchers and their patrons to force wholesalers to reduce their price.

Boys Arrested on Theft Charge.

Sterling, Ill., May 8.—Eleven boys, aged twelve to sixteen, were arrested here for a series of burglaries during the past two months. All are sons of prominent citizens. They all confessed.

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Estate of Michael Maloney, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Michael Maloney, Deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the July term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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LIZZIE MALONEY, Administratrix.

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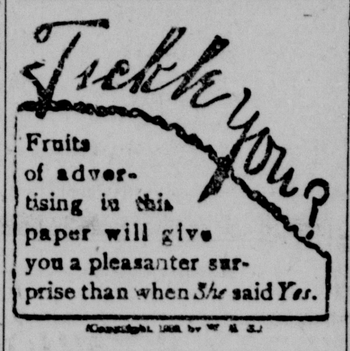

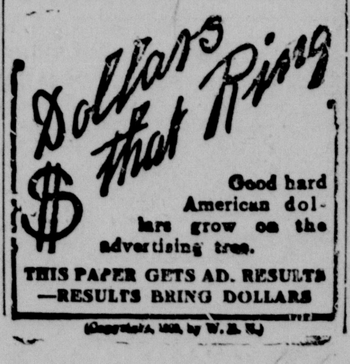
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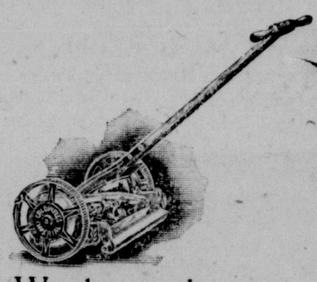

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